

THE EVENING BULLETIN

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1886.

A LOUISVILLE woman wants \$50,000 for defalcation of her character.

The mills at Minneapolis are now making 13,000 barrels of flour daily.

FIFTY-FOUR head of trotting, road and saddle horses were sold at Lexington Tuesday for \$20,345.

The Register and Land Office reports that the total receipts last year amounted to \$1,517,500.

The poor soldier is to be well cared for. The Commissioner of Pensions estimates that it will require \$75,000,000 for next year.

The bill regulating the sale of deadly weapons has been passed by the Legislature, and only awaits the Governor's signature to become a law.

A STREET railway company in the City of Mexico carries 9,000,000 passengers annually, and pays an annual dividend of 6 per cent on a capital of \$5,000,000.

MASSACHUSETTS has something over one thousand nine hundred miles of railway belonging to sixty-three corporations, who employ thirty thousand men to carry on the business.

The State Senate has passed an act amending the law as to carrying concealed deadly weapons. It makes the punishment fine, or imprisonment, or both in the discretion of the jury.

A bill has been presented in the Legislature to incorporate the Kentucky Rock Oil Company, of Paris. Its capital stock is \$5,000,000, with power to increase to \$50,000,000. Its object is the production and sale of oil and gas.

SENATOR FERRIS is one of "fortune's favorites." At least, it looks that way. It is not long since he was re-elected Senator from Ohio. Then he was chosen President of the Senate, and now he has won a child's \$3 suit at a raffle. Give the wheel another turn.

At 3 o'clock Wednesday, the last rail was laid and the last spike driven in the Cincinnati, Georgetown and Portsmouth railroad, and Georgetown's cup of happiness is now "full to overflowing." The road gives promise of being one of the most profitable in that State.

REPRESENTATIVE A. P. GOODING has introduced a bill in the Legislature to repeal the law allowing \$75 a year to pauper idiots. They cost the State over \$82,000 last year. He has also introduced a bill to prevent crimes of this State from the collection of unlawful fees.

A RECENT divorce in Boston says Dakota divorcees are n. g. in Massachusetts. According to this, a fellow may be a single man in one State, but by stepping across the line into Massachusetts he becomes a married man, without any ceremony being performed. Why couldn't a fellow have two wives according to this decision?

Tux city of St. Louis is in a predicament similar to that the State of Ohio is at the present time. Ohio has two Senates and St. Louis two councils. The trouble at St. Louis is a result of the war between the gas companies. Fox, the chairman of the council is said to have been deposed from office, but he has expressed his determination to preside at the next meeting "if it costs blood."

The disgraceful muddle in the Ohio Legislature has at last been compromised. It all grew out of the alleged election frauds at Cincinnati, coupled with a desire on the part of the Republicans to get entire control of things, and it has now been settled that a committee of three from each faction will do the investigating. A thorough investigation will probably show that all the corruption is not in one party.

STANTON Singsing of Success. A Washington special to the Louisville Times of the 4th instant says: "Major Henry T. Stanton seems to be as happy as a man with wheat at the mill and his turn next. He is attending receptions and reciting poetry by the yard. He is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Walsh, New York avenue. The Major thinks his commission as Revenue Agent will be signed as soon as Commissioner Miller reaches the department."

"The Good Work Goes Bravely On." Says the Vaneburg Courier in alluding to the Mayesburg and Big Sandy Railroad:

"The people all manifest a deep interest in the enterprise, and many are enthusiastic. The Committee appointed to aid in securing the right of way, has been at work in town during the past two days and has made rapid progress. Many have given the right, and others at reasonable figures have been obtained almost the entire distance. But few really obstinate property owners have been found. The belief is general that the railroad will come."

THE BRAZILIAN MAILS.

THE GOVERNMENT ASKED FOR AN INCREASED APPROPRIATION.

The Steamship Company Have Lost Largely in Carrying Uncle Sam's Mails—"The Cowboy Bill"—Marine—Pensions—Things in the House and Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Capt. Locklin, of New York, representing the United States and Brazil Steamship company, was heard by the house committee on post-offices and post roads in the interest of more pay for carrying the mails. He stated that the company made fifteen trips a year now, and after the two ships under course of construction were completed they would make semi-monthly trips. The pay during the past year was \$22 a trip for carrying the United States mails, the average amount carried being 3,115 pounds a trip. The cost, he said, for the transportation of the mails is about \$4,000 a trip, and he asked an allowance of \$5,000, the loss heretofore being thirty-one cents a pound on each trip.

Military affairs, by a vote of 6 to 1, instructed Mr. Laird to report his bill authorizing the organization of two regiments of soldiers and citizens in the southwest to protect the Indian trails from Indian raids. The measure is known as "the cowboy bill." Shipping continued the consideration of the Dunn free ship bill, but a conclusion may not be reached under two weeks. At the next meeting a delegation of the New York chamber of commerce will be heard in support of Mr. Nogey's bill for the relief of the merchant marine of the United States, known as the sailing bill, and introduced as a substitute to the Dunn bill. The appropriations committee agreed to the pension appropriation bill. The total amount appropriated by it is \$75,254,220.

Senate. WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—A number of propositions of the Kansas of Labor were presented to the Senate to open up to settlement the Oklahoma lands.

The Senate adopted Mr. Davis' resolution on the subject of the late-war papers bearing upon the performance of the duties of Henry Ward, who was Indian Inspector, from 1864 to 1866, as discussed by Morris Thomas, of Baltimore.

The joint resolution making Tampague, Fla., a port of entry was taken up and passed, but Mr. Allison gave notice of a motion to reconsider.

On motion of Mr. Conger, the bill providing for the sale of the old site of Fort Brady, Mich., and for the purchase of a new site and the erection of a public building thereon, was passed.

Mr. Sewell's bill increasing the annual appropriation for the militia from \$20,000 to \$40,000 per annum was then passed, and a motion of Mr. Allison that the Senate resume consideration of the bill providing for the admission of Dakota to statehood. Mr. Butler took the floor.

House. WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The speaker laid before the house a message from the president, transmitting copies from the secretary of the interior of all contracts between the Southern Pacific Railroad company and other corporations. The document contained nothing new. The speaker requested Messrs. Hammond, of Georgia, and Culberson, of Texas, to fill vacancies upon the shipping committee, and at 1:30 the house went into committee on the report of the House of Commerce, on the private calendar.

DASTARDLY DEED.

Seven Men Horribly Burned by a Coal Oil Fire.

St. Louis, Feb. 6.—A terrible accident happened here. A fire in a shanty near the railroad tracks was discovered. The glare of light attracted the attention of all the railroad men who happened to be out. They ran toward the place, and as they did so they heard shrieks, groans and cries, telling that human beings were held there in the fiery cage unable to escape. There was a rush to the door and it was found in, when two men staggered out. Other men were dragged out unconscious. The faces of the victims were blackened, and strips of flesh peeled off, presenting a horrible sight.

There were seven taken out of the building. They said that they had strolled into the shanty in order to warm up, and were sitting around the stove talking, when suddenly the stove seemed to burst open and the flames went all about the room enveloping the men before they could turn toward the door. They could only beat about with their hands and struggle with each other in an endeavor to get out. They were grasped with one another and thus impeded their escape, and it seemed an eternity before they heard the cries of those who came to the rescue.

They remembered very distinctly that they smelled coal oil as the flames burst around them. The strange manner in which the fire started can only be accounted for on the ground that some wretch poured coal oil down the chimney to the stove. Near the back of the shanty on the ground was found a tin can which had evidently contained coal oil. The names of the unfortunate ones are: James Douglas, James Douglas, William Gilks, Pat Boyle, Scott Sanderson, Joseph McGee, Fred Erickson. They were all as fearfully burned, but whether any of them are necessarily fatally injured cannot be known as yet.

FOOLISH TALK OF SHOOTING NAGAS.

TOLEDO, Feb. 6.—Wallace Ross and Fred Pleasant said that they will make an attempt next August to go through the Mexican desert to the Gulf of Mexico, and that they will carry with them a large number of Nagas, and that they will carry them through safely.

ACTORS' FUND RECEIVED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The matinee at Wallack's, Madison Square and Italy's theatres for the benefit of the Actors' fund, were not largely attended, although no prices are announced. It is believed the proceeds will be about \$1,500.

ARRESTED FOR HEAVY FURGERIES.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 6.—Sheriff Kendall, of Greater City, has been arrested for horse stealing, and is being held in the city jail. He was taken there by Capt. A. C. Williams, who is a legal, is wanted in Greeley, Denver and Comol, Colo., for forgery aggregating ten thousand dollars.

DAKOTA MATTERS.

Homeward Bound and Disagreed—Feeling in the Territory.

FARGO, Dkt., Feb. 6.—Most of the Dakota statesmen who have figured at Washington of late are homeward bound with varying reports, but evidently convinced that it is useless for them to pay toll bills here longer. Col. Benton, a Fargo delegate, who is believed to be the most likely successor of Governor Pierce, has just reached here, and in an interview gives as the result of his investigations at the White House and among leading Democrats that the disquieting views of leading Republicans here will prevent any action on Dakota matters until early in the spring, the passage of an enabling act for a state.

There is a marked and rapid change going on to come into the Union. It prefers to accept an enabling act on our great state to remain out for an indefinite period.

Honorable Awards.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 6.—The United States government has awarded to Capt. Miller and Second Officer Roberts, of the Lord Gough, each a gold watch and chain, and to Seaman John Purvis, Daniel Perry, Harry Dick, Michael Dennis, and Thomas Ewart each \$25, in recognition of their rescue of the captain and seven of the crew of the American schooner Cleopatra off the coast of Massachusetts on December 27.

Association of Fruit Preservers.

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—Eighteen firms of fruit preservers, in Detroit, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis and Chicago, were represented at a meeting held here, for the purpose of forming an association similar to those of other manufacturing industries. The objects sought are the regulation of prices and the modification of the classification of the goods by the railroad companies.

Acceptable Terms.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 6.—An official of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway company has informed the general freight traffic manager of the Pennsylvania Railway company that the terms for the proposed bituminous coal pool are acceptable to his company. The decision was telegraphed to the Baltimore & Ohio Railway company and a reply from the latter is expected within a few days.

Hempsey Hopes Them In.

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 6.—Harry Gilmore, of Toronto, and Jack Dempsey, of San Francisco, have signed articles to fight with gloves for \$250,000, London prize ring rules, within fifty miles of Detroit, within four weeks. George Fulljames backs Dempsey.

Snow on the Rhyssack.

NEWPORT, R. I., Feb. 6.—Newport is experiencing its heaviest snow storm in several years. Since yesterday afternoon from ten to twelve inches have fallen. It is decidedly. The thermometer fell to within a few degrees of zero this morning.

A Jersey Knight.

RETIREMENT PARK, N. J., Feb. 6.—A fire broke out in the basement of the building of the railway station and spread with such rapidity that most of the people had to jump from the windows to save their lives. As there is only one company in the town, the surrounding buildings were saved with difficulty. Loss about \$8,000.

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All Wool 40 in. Silk, Empress, 60¢, former price, 75¢	1 25
All Wool 42 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 44 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 46 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 48 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 50 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 52 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 54 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 56 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 58 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 60 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 62 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 64 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 66 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 68 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 70 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 72 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 74 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 76 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 78 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25
All Wool 80 in. Silk, 75¢, former price, 85¢	1 25

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